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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Jerussi *et al.*

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For: DERIVATIVES OF (-)-VENLAFAXINE
AND METHODS OF PREPARING
AND USING THE SAME

Attorney Docket No.: 4821-536-999
(JD 208423-999577)

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed October 12, 2007, in which the above-captioned application was examined for restriction purposes only. Applicants respectfully submit the following remarks to be entered into the records and considered by the Examiner. Also submitted herewith is a Petition for Extension of Time, with provision for the required fee.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.